

Amendment to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

1. (Currently amended) A composition comprising
 - a. From 99.9 to 50% by weight of polyamide and
 - b. From 0.1 to 50% by weight of one or more olefin-vinyl acetate copolymers as elastomer, wherein the copolymer is in a pure form, not in a blend with other polar olefin copolymers, wherein the vinyl acetate portion of the copolymer is between 40 and 99 wt.%.
2. (Original) The composition as claimed in claim 1, where B) is polyalkylene-vinyl acetate.
3. (Previously Presented) The composition as claimed in claim 2, where B is ethylene-vinyl acetate polymer.
4. (Cancelled)
5. (Currently Amended) The composition as claimed in claim [[4]] 1, where the proportion by weight is from 40 to 95% by weight.
6. (Currently Amended) The composition as claimed in claim [[4]] 1, where the proportion by weight is from 80 to 90% by weight.
7. (Previously Presented) The composition as claimed in claim 1, where at least one nanoscale filler is present.
8. (Previously Presented) The composition as claimed in claim 7, where the nanoscale filler is a phyllosilicates.

9. (Previously Presented) The composition as claimed in claim 7, where the nanoscale filler has been selected from the group of the oxides and oxide hydrates of metals or of semimetals.
10. (Previously Presented) The composition as claimed in claim 7, where the nanoscale filler is used in the range from 0.1 to 5% by weight, based on the polyamide.
11. (Original) A process for preparation of a composition as claimed in claim 1 via melt compounding of the constituents, where nanoscale fillers and elastomers may be metered in either together or else separately from each other.
12. (Previously Presented) A process for preparation of a composition as claimed in claim 1 comprising the step of melt compounding the constituents wherein the elastomer is incorporated in the form of a masterbatch or in the form of a pellet mixture.
13. (Previously Presented) A method for production of moldings, of single-or multilayer films or of hollow articles, comprising the step of extruding, coextruding, coating, laminating or blow molding a molding composition as claimed in claim 1.
14. (Original) A molding, a single- or multilayer film, or a hollow article produced from molding compositions as claimed in claim 1.
15. (Cancelled)
16. (Cancelled)

17. (Currently Amended) A composition comprising:
 - A) from 33.3 to 35% by weight of polyamide and
 - B) from 0.1 to 5% by weight of one or more olefin-vinyl acetate copolymers having a vinyl acetate content of from 40 to 95% by weight, as elastomer, wherein the copolymer is in a pure form, not in a blend with other polar olefin copolymers.
18. (Previously Presented) The composition of claim 17, wherein B is ethylene vinyl acetate copolymer.
19. (Previously Presented) The composition as claimed in claim 17, wherein at least one nanoscale filler is present.
20. (Previously Presented) A method for production of moldings, of single or multilayer films or of hollow articles, comprising the step of extruding, coextruding, coating, laminating or blow molding a composition as claimed in claim 17.
21. (Previously Presented) A molding, a single or multilayer film, or a hollow article produced from molding compositions as claimed in claim 17.